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Applicant: Joseph Raben

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**  
(Rules 136 and 19(a)-(d))

Outstanding Office Action Mailed 2003 November 24

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Request for Extension of 2 Months to 2004 April 24

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, District of Columbia 20231

Sir:

In the above application, applicant respectfully petitions that the period for response to the outstanding Office Action indicated above be extended for the additional months, also indicated above. A response to such Office Action and the above Petition Fee (Small Entity) are enclosed herewith. (This extension will not extend the time over the statutory of six months from the date of the Office Action.)

Very respectfully,



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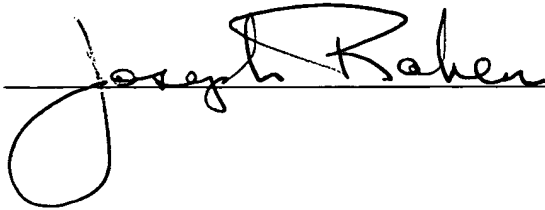
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